

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

MAIL STOP RCE

Kiichi UEYANAGI

Group Art Unit: 2653

Application No.: 09/771,705

Examiner:

K. Chu

Filed: January 30, 2001

Docket No.: 108459

For:

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REPRODUCTION APPARATUS

LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114 RECEIVED

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicant hereby requests continued examination.

 \boxtimes Applicant further requests entry and consideration of the submission filed April 29, 2004 (Amendment After Final Rejection).

The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(d).

Attached hereto is our check no. 155111 in the amount of \bowtie \$770.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this page are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted.

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